

## Public Official's Request to Suppress Records Information

This form is used to request suppression of personal information in the driver/identification, vehicle, and vessel records that you identify below. Please note that this form and the corresponding privacy protection apply only to law enforcement officers, certain other public officials (active or former), and their spouses and children, who are eligible for such protection under Section 119.071(4) (d), Florida Statutes. **See reverse side for further information.**

Please PRINT the applicable driver/identification, vehicle, and vessel records identification information requested below. The information required to complete this form is located on the Florida driver license or identification card of the requester, and the current Florida vehicle registration certificate for the motor vehicle(s), trailer(s), and vessel(s) in question. Do not include vehicles or vessels registered in the name of a leasing company or other organization. In all cases, the date of birth must match the date of birth on the Florida driver license or identification card and the Florida vehicle registration certificate. Complete additional forms if needed for other family members.

**NOTE: The form(s) must be returned with a letter or other documentation on employer letterhead indicating eligibility to:**  
Department of Highway Safety and Motor Vehicles (DHSMV), 2900 Apalachee Parkway, Room B231, MS 91, Tallahassee, Florida 32399.

### Public Official/Law Enforcement Officer Submitting Request

FIRST NAME

MIDDLE NAME

LAST NAME

STREET ADDRESS

CITY

STATE & ZIP CODE

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Florida Driver License/Identification Card Number

Date of Birth

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Florida Driver License/Identification Card Number

Date of Birth

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Florida Driver License/Identification Card Number

Date of Birth

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Florida Driver License/Identification Card Number

Date of Birth

### Motor Vehicles and Trailers (owned by any person identified above):

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Florida License Plate (Tag) Number

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Florida Title Number

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Date of Birth

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Florida License Plate (Tag) Number

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Florida Title Number

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Date of Birth

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Florida License Plate (Tag) Number

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Florida Title Number

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Date of Birth

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### Vessels (owned by any person identified above):

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Florida Title Number

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Date of Birth

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Florida Title Number

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Date of Birth

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\* Number shown in the box labeled "Florida Number" may be a Florida vessel registration number, official number of a federally documented vessel, or registration number from another state.

## **Public Official Eligibility to Exempt Personal Information from Public Disclosure**

Eligible public officials can request that the Department of Highway Safety and Motor Vehicles (DHSMV) exempt from public review (disclosure) the personal information contained in their driver, vehicle, and vessel records. Personal information includes the name, home address, social security number, telephone number, driver/identification card number, medical or disability information and photograph or digital image of a public official. The request must be made in writing as required in Section 119.071(4) (d), Florida Statutes, by completing the Public Official Request to Suppress Records Information Form, HSMV 96020. The form must be returned to the DHSMV with a letter or other documentation on employer letterhead indicating the eligibility. The following public officials, their spouses, the children, and other family members living at the same address are eligible for privacy protection under Section 119.071(4) (d), Florida Statutes:

- Active or former law enforcement officers;
- Correctional and correctional probation officers;
- Personnel of the Department of Children and Family Services who investigate cases of abuse, neglect, exploitation, fraud, theft, or other criminal activities;
- Personnel of the Department of Health whose duties are to support the investigation of child abuse or neglect;
- Personnel of the Department of Revenue or local governments whose responsibilities include revenue collection and enforcement or child support enforcement;
- Certified firefighters;
- Current or former justices of the Supreme Court, district court of appeal judges, circuit court judges, and county court judges;
- Current or former state attorneys, assistant state attorneys, statewide prosecutors, and assistant statewide prosecutors;
- Current or former human resource, labor relations, or employee relations directors, assistant directors, managers, or assistant managers of any local government agency or water management district whose duties include hiring and firing employees, labor contract negotiation, administration, or other personnel-related duties;
- Current or former United States attorneys and assistant United States attorneys;
- Current or former judges of United States Courts of Appeal, United States district judges, United States magistrate judges;
- Current or former code enforcement officers;
- Current or former guardians ad litem, as defined in s. 39.820;
- Current or former juvenile probation officers, juvenile probation supervisors, detention superintendents, assistant detention superintendents, senior juvenile detention officers, juvenile detention officer supervisors, juvenile detention officers, house parents I and II, house parent supervisors, group treatment leaders, group treatment leader supervisors, rehabilitation therapist, and social services counselors of the Department of Juvenile Justice;
- Current or former public defenders, assistant public defenders, criminal conflict and civil regional counsel, and assistant criminal conflict and assistant regional counsel.

The department records affected by this action include Florida driver license records, Florida identification card records, motor vehicle registration and title records, and vessel registration and title records, including federally documented vessels. The Department of Highway Safety and Motor Vehicles is not allowed to release the suppressed personal information of public officials.